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(*b*) the amount of grant given by the Government to this institution in 1954 both in respect of running the Vidyalaya and the hostel?

THE HON. SRI B. PARAMESWARAN :—" (*a*) No, Sir. It had to be closed temporarily for about a week from the morning of the 8th February.

" (*b*) A sum of Rs. 20,523–14–0 was paid as boarding grants to the hostel attached to the Vidyalaya during 1954–55 by the Harijan Welfare Department. The amount of maintenance grant paid to the Vidyalaya during 1954 by the Industries Department was Rs. 3,000."

9-10 a.m. SRI T. C. NARAYANAN NAMBIAR :—" May I know from the Hon. Minister what the reasons for the temporary closure were? This House was in session during that time and a number of pupils of the institution were here in this compound to represent the matter. Their education was discontinued for a short time. What action have the Government taken against the persons responsible for the temporary closure? "

THE HON. SRI B. PARAMESWARAN :—" The Director of Harijan Welfare interceded on behalf of the students and he was able to resolve the situation. Therefore the question does not arise now."

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MR. SPEAKER :—" As the hon. Member Sri S. T. Adityan is not present, the question and answer will be printed in the proceedings."

SRI S. T. ADITYAN : Will the Hon. the Minister for Local Administration be pleased to state—

(*a*) on what date a vacancy arose in the office of the President, Panchayat Board, Arumuganeri (Tirunelveli district), due to the election of the last incumbent as Vice-President of the District Board;

(*b*) whether the casual vacancy has been filled up by a fresh election; and

(*c*) if not, why?

THE HON. SRI S. S. RAMASAMY PADAYACHI :—" (*a*) The vacancy arose on 5th November 1954.

" (*b*) Yes, Sir.

" (*c*) Does not arise."

*Appointment of Sarishtadar, District Magistrate's Court Tiruchirappalli.*

* 1982 *Q.*—SRI P. RANGASWAMI REDDIAR : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state—

(*a*) whether it is a fact that a member of the Revenue Department was appointed as Sarishtadar of the District Magistrate's